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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

THOMAS DORSEY,	)	
	)	Case No. 2:18-cv-00209-APG-NJK
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	<b>STIPULATION FOR EXTENSION OF</b>
v.	)	<b>TIME FOR FEDERAL DEFENDANT</b>
	)	<b>TO FILE REPLY IN SUPPORT OF</b>
MARK T. ESPER, in his capacity as the	)	<b>RENEWED MOTION TO DISMISS</b>
United States Secretary of the Army,	)	<b>(ECF No. 22)</b>
	)	
Defendant.	)	<b>(First Request)</b>

Plaintiff Thomas Dorsey and Federal Defendant Mark T. Esper, in his capacity as the United States Secretary of the Army, by and through their counsel of record, hereby stipulate and agree to extend the time for Federal Defendant to file his Reply in Support of his Renewed Motion to Dismiss (ECF No. 22) ("Motion") by two days to **August 22, 2018**. Plaintiff filed his Opposition (ECF No. 25) on August 13, 2018, and in accordance with LR 7-2(b), Federal Defendant's response is currently due on August 20, 2018. This is the first request to extend this deadline.

There is good cause for entering into this stipulation for this brief extension that will still allow the Motion to be fully briefed prior to the parties' ENE. Agency counsel for Federal Defendant is currently tied up on another matter and is unable to assist in responding to new information raised in Plaintiff's Opposition until Monday, August 20, 2018, the current due date for Federal Defendant's reply. This request is made in good faith and not for purposes of delay.

1 For the reasons set forth above, the parties respectfully request the Court grant this brief  
2 extension.

3 Respectfully submitted this 16th day of August 2018.

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11 **IT IS SO ORDERED:**

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14 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

15 Dated: August 16, 2018.  
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